

Application Number 09/266,674  
Amendment dated October 27, 2004  
Responsive to Office Action mailed July 27, 2004

### REMARKS

This Amendment is responsive to the Office Action dated July 27, 2004. Applicants have amended claim 37 and canceled claim 38. Claims 1-4, 6-13, 16-22, 24-31 and 33-37 and 39-40 are now pending

In the Office Action, the Examiner allowed claims 1-4, 6-13, 16-22, 24-31 and 33-35. The Examiner rejected claims 37, 39 and 40, and objected to claim 38. The Examiner indicated that claim 38 would be allowed if claim 38 was written into independent form.

Applicants have amended independent claim 37 to include the limitations of claim 38. Applicants have also amended claim 37 to address a typographical error. All claims should now be in condition for allowance.

Applicants do not acquiesce to the Examiner's rejection of claim 37 or characterizations of the prior art. Applicants reserve the right to pursue the subject matter of claim 37, or other claims in one or more continuation applications.

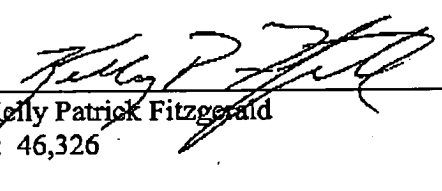
Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and prompt allowance of all pending claims. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to deposit account number 50-1778. The Examiner is invited to telephone the below-signed attorney to discuss this application.

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